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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages 33]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 12]
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(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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 - ii. paper
 - c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
17. Other:

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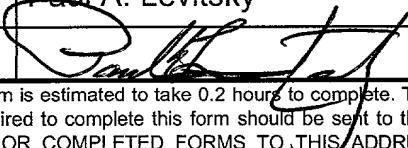
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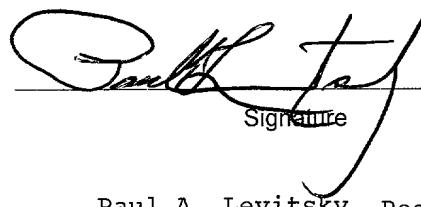
NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)		First Named Inventor	Bahram Javidi
Title	Image Processing Techniques For Automatic Road Sign Identification		
		Atty Docket Number	UCT-0020-01

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November 15, 2001

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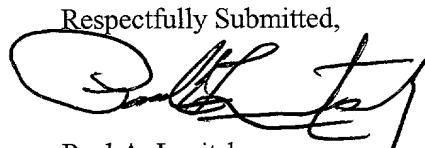
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New Patent Application comprising of:

- Utility Patent Application Transmittal
- New Application comprising of:
 - Specification – 28 sheets
 - Claims – 4 sheets
 - Abstract – 1 sheet
 - Informal Drawings – 12 sheets
- Fee Transmittal
- Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
- Post Card Filing Receipt

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.27, applicant claims small entity status. Please accord this application a filing date of November 15, 2001 in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.10.

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